

Program

April 16 : **Celebration Day**

10.30 a.m.

Video screening: *Century that made America Great*

The 20th Century - a 100 year chain of world-shaping events and American accomplishments that drove our nation's unstoppable rise to world leadership. From the invention of the light bulb, the auto assembly line and the television - to computers, space shuttles and Hollywood block-busters - watch as American energy and ingenuity powered our fledgling nation's flight to remarkable heights as an industrial, cultural and strategic superpower.

3.00 to 5.00 p.m. **Open House**

April 17: **Librarians Meet**

10:30 a.m.

Meet with Professor S. Parthasarathy, Veteran Librarian & Education Advisor

2:30 p.m.

Film Screening : The Fugitive (131 min)

April 18: **Open House**

10.30 a.m.

video screenings

2:30 p.m.

Film Screening : Maverick (127 min)

April 19: **Open House**

10:30 a.m.

video screenings for patrons

3:00 p.m.

Discussion on The Electronic Journal "Benefits of Trade: Cost of Protectionism (January 2007) in collaboration with the Indo-American Chamber of Commerce, Chennai

April 20: **Open House**

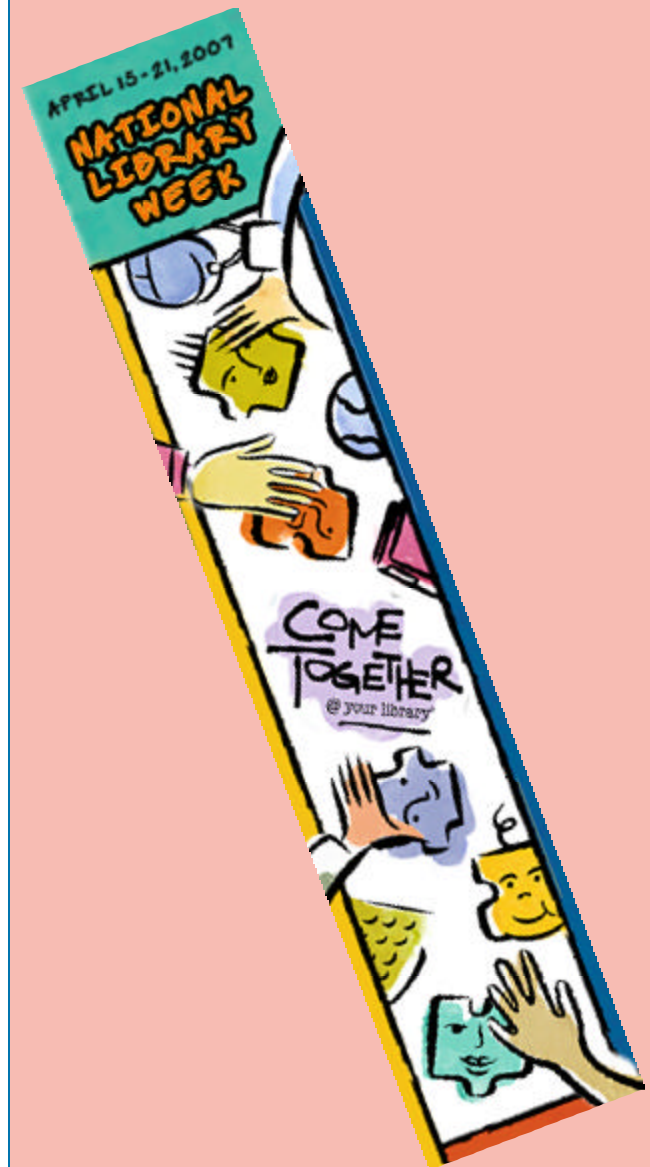
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video screenings

2:30 p.m.

Film Screening : Shadow of Doubt (102 min)

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We thank you in advance for your kind co-operation.

It's National Library Week - a time to celebrate the contributions of libraries, librarians and library workers in schools, campuses and communities and the perfect time for our community to come together @ your library.

On behalf of the Office of Public Affairs, U.S. Consulate General, Chennai, we are pleased to invite you to the National Library Week Celebrations at The American Library. Beginning April 16, the Library is organizing an open house, video and film screenings, orientations, and discussion programs.

At our library, people of all backgrounds can come together for meetings, lectures and programs, and to do research with the assistance of a trained professional. The American Library is a window to information about the United States, which seeks to further the understanding of America and its democratic institutions. It provides access to a large number of books, periodicals, videos, electronic databases and Internet to learn about American history, culture, literature, politics and international relations, economics and trade.

Initiated in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the United States each April.

For more information, visit the American Library at the U.S. Consulate General, Gemini Circle, Chennai 600 006, call [044-2857 4000/ 4223/4017/4089] or see the library's Web site at

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